

REPORT OF SIGNIFICANT NEEDS & PROBLEMS KSBY-TV 6 THIRD QUARTER 1999

This report covers the period of July 1, 1999 through Sept 30, 1999. KSBY-TV's list of Ten Significant Needs and Problems was updated in 1st quarter and placed in the public inspection file on October 10, 1999.

Obviously, concerns were not the same in all communities at all times. The principal concerns and needs mentioned more frequently by our survey of 664 people throughout our market were as follows:

- 1) CRIME
- 2) ECONOMY
- 3) GROWTH CONTROL/PLANNING
- 4) ENVIRONMENT
- 5) SOCIAL CONCERNS
- 6) EDUCATION
- 7) HEALTH CONCERNS
- 8) GOVERNMENT/LOCAL & STATE
- 9) IMMIGRATION
- 10) NATURAL DISASTERS/SAFETY

Interviews were conducted in December 1993.

KSBY-TV 6 is committed to providing quality programming that addresses these prevalent issues in our community.

Significant Needs And Problems As Addressed By KSBY Programming:

Third Quarter 1999

California Country: Program geared towards the local and regional agricultural community. Aired 10 times at 5:00AM Sundays, once at 4:30AM Sunday (9/19) and once at 4:30AM Saturday (9/24 –new time slot).

National Geographic: On Assignment: Monthly educational series from the publishers of National Geographic targeting all demographics and dealing with everything from endangered species awareness to the global ecosystem and saving our planet. Aired 7/31 @ 7PM, 8/07 @ 7PM and 9/04 @ 7PM.

National Geographic Specials: Series of specials on NBC from the publishers of National Geographic targeting all demographics and dealing with everything from endangered species awareness to the global ecosystem and saving our planet.
National Geographic: Explorer 9/04 8PM
Search For Submarine I-52 9/11 8PM

Images: A Century In Review: Walter Cronkite hosts this series chronicling and celebrating various achievements and individuals who made a difference in the last 100 years. Aired 7/17 @ 7AM.

Wild Life Adventures: Monthly educational series from the producers of National Geographic television specials targeting all demographics and dealing with similar issues. Aired 7/18 @ 12PM and 8/14 @ 7PM.

Macy's Fourth Of July Fireworks Special aired 11:30PM 7/04.

Stars & Stripes: A Fourth Of July Special aired 1:30AM 7/04.

Picture This America Fourth Of July Special aired 3:00PM 7/04.

Police Heroes: The Trooper Of The Year Special : A one time only special honoring the contributions and sacrifices of members of the Highway Patrol. Aired 7/24 7AM.

Horizons Of The Spirit: Hard Court Hope: Produced by the Southern Baptist Communications group this special dealt with basketball oriented programs geared towards helping inner city youth and featuring players who are striving to live out their faith amidst the challenges of performing in the sports spotlight. Aired 8/07 7AM.

Horizons Of The Spirit: Brendan The Navigator: Produced by the United States Catholic Conference, this special dealt with the theory of an Irish Monk who visited North America in the 6th century. Aired 8/14 7AM.

Women At Risk: Specials that give women and their families the knowledge they need to communicate effectively with their doctors and to become partners in taking good care of their health.

Women At Risk: Forever Young aired 7/31 @ 7AM

Women At Risk: Women & Cancer aired 9/08 @ 4AM and 9/11 @ 7AM

Notidiario: Spanish language newscast scheduled Monday-Friday at 5:00AM.

Hispanic Business Today: The U.S. Hispanic Chamber Of Commerce showcases the many contributions Hispanic Americans are making to our economy and our society. Aired 9/26 @ 4AM.

Picture This America Labor Day Special aired 9/04 @ 7AM, 9/06 @ 9AM and 9/07 @ 4AM.

On Main Street: Jimmy Carter Interview dealing with the former President's faith and religious background before, during and after his term in office aired 9/09 @ 5:30AM.

Latino Music Greats: Special targeting the local Hispanic community aired 9/09 @ 4AM.

True Champions: A special dealing with the personal and professional struggles, victories and inspirations of some of Hispanic America's biggest sports superstars. Aired 9/10 4AM.

Significant Needs and Problems as Addressed by the
Community Affairs Department
Month of July 1999

Public Service Announcements

A total of 1294 announcements were run during the month of July 1999. The breakdown as to which specific community needs they addressed is as follows:

1.	Planning and Growth	None
2.	Water	
	Conserving CA Water	15
	Clean Water	54
	Clean Water/C.A.R.E.	2
3.	Housing	None
4.	Government Involvement	
	Americorps	40
	Peace Corp	56
	State Lottery	31
5.	Social Services	
	Red Cross/Local Disaster	16
	Amnesty International	5
	Local United Way	40
	Make a Wish Foundation	15
	C.A.R.E./Change the World	3
6.	Animals	
	True Love/Adopt a Pet	17
7.	Senior Citizens	
	John Glenn/Senior Exercise	2
8.	Health Information/Services	
	Skin Cancer/93 Million Miles	39
	Diabetes/Tour de Cure	42
	Stroke/Hard to Remember	4
	Heart Attack/Waiting	39
	Organ Donor	1
	Alzheimers	8

	Medic-Alert/Climber	1
	AIDS	
	Elton John	3
	C.A.R.E.	5
	Beliefs	1
	Life After Drug-Abuse	38
	Meth/Rarely Sleep	8
	Alanon/Alateen: Tornado	51
	Pre-Natal Care	5
9.	Environment	
	Ocean Exploration	46
	Forest Rescue	1
	Choices/Earthsave	35
10.	Traffic Control	None
11.	Children/Education	
	4H Club/Are You Into It?	4
	Be A Mentor	2
	Drug Prevent/Kids Listen	40
	Drug Prevent/Average Kid	1
	Exercise/Video Boy	2
	Teen Violence	2
	Boys & Girls Club/Invest	56
	Girl Scouts/Sports	7
	Mentor, etc./Help Wanted	12
	Fatherhood/Be There	17
	Child Support	18
12.	Crime	
	Child Abuse/Everybody's Business	39
	Drunk Driving/Abby	45
13.	Safety	
	Buckle-Up	
	-Ice Cream	6
	-Cruisin'	7
	-Back Seat	1
	Home Safety	2
	Emergency Broadcast System	5
14.	Consumer Information	None

15. Community Events

4th of July Events	18
S.L.O. Triathlon	56
Pops Concert	6
Mozart Festival	56

Community Calendar

There were a total of 264 Community Calendars that ran during the month of July 1999. Topics included; activities, seniors, meetings, arts and children.

Station Tours

There were 2 tours given during the month of July 1999:

July 9	Junior High Explorers	15 Junior High students
July 15	Cultural Homestay	13 & 14 year old exchange students

Speaking Engagements

There were a total of 2 speaking engagements during the month of July 1999. They were as follows:

July 12	Tony Cipolla	RAMS	Seniors/Five Cities
July 25	Jill Rickett	Centerpoint Theater Group	SLO/MC

**Significant Needs and Problems as Addressed by the
Community Affairs Department
Month of August 1999**

Public Service Announcements

There were a total of 1,263 announcements were run in the month of August 1999. The breakdown as to which community needs they addressed is as follows:

1.	Planning & Growth	0
2.	Water	
	Conservation	9
	Clean Water	40
3.	Housing	0
4.	Government Involvement	
	Amnesty International	8
	Americorp/Recruitment	34
	National Guard/You Can.	26
	Peace Corp	40
	State Lottery	36
	C.A.R.E	3
	Legislative Survey/SB Congresswoman	3
5.	Social Services	
	American Red Cross	4
	Local United Way	39
	C.A.R.E.	9
	Be A Mentor	2
6.	Animals	
	True Love/Pet Adoption	9
7.	Senior Citizens	
	Senior Fitness	2
	Alzheimers	15

7. Health Information/Services

Organ Donation	3
Skin Cancer	31
Kid Fitness	5
Breast Cancer/Stamp	1
Alanon	40
Diabetes	33
A1-Ateen	7
Stroke Prevention	2
Heart Attack/Waiting To Happen	37
AIDS/Elton John	3
AIDS/Belief	2
Immunizations/Marcy	33
Pre-Natal Care	9

8. Environment

Earth Share	43
Exploration Year/Oceans	39
Beach Clean-Up	4

9. Traffic Control 0**10. Children/Education**

Child Abuse/Everybody's Business	36
Make A Wish Found.	15
Child Support/Girl	12
Child Support/Boy	2
Boys & Girls Club	57
Girl Scouts	9
Fatherhood	5
4-H/Are You Into It?	5
Help Wanted/Kids	16
Careers/Bill Cosby	1
Shriner's Hospital	6

11. Crime

Drunk Driving/Jessica	35
Life After Drugs	27
Meth/Rarely Sleep	2
Teen Violence	12
Drug Free USA	36

12. Safety

Helmet Safety/Dusty Baker	2
Helmet Safety/Eric Karros	1
Seat Belts	5
Fire Safety/Spring Clean-Up	4

13. Consumer Information 0**14. Community Events**

Ethnic Street Faire	36
Relay For Life/Cancer Society	48
Mozart Festival	10
Pops By The Sea	38
Central Coast Wine Festival	34

Community Calendar

There were a total of 238 Community & Arts Calendars that aired in the month of August 1999. Topics include: events, meetings, senior activities, art shows, performances & events for children.

Station Tours

There were a total of seven station tours given in the month of August 1999:

August 6	Nipomo Recreation Dept.	5-12 year old children
August 9	Calif. Scholastic Press Assoc.	High school seniors
August 13	Foothill Pre-School	4 & 5 year olds
August 20	Nipomo Seniors	
August 19	Sportsman Club	Seniors
August 23	Estero Bay Newcomers	Seniors
August 27	SLO Family & Friends	Adults and children

Speaking Engagements

There were four speaking engagements in the month of August 1999:

August 3	Jill Rickett	Junior Livestock/MSFPaso Robles
August 7	Tony Cipolla	Dummy Roping/MSF Paso Robles
August 16	John Myers	Education to Career job shadow
August 19	Lori Parker	Clark Center Ground Breaking

**Significant Needs and Problems as Addressed by the
Community Affairs Department
Month of September 1999**

Public Service Announcements

There were a total of 1,179 announcements run in September 1999. The community needs they addressed are as follows:

1.	Planning & Growth	0
2.	Water	
	Conservation	19
	Clean Water	40
3.	Housing	0
4.	Government Involvement	
	Amnesty International	3
	Americorp/Recruitment	14
	National Guard/You Can.	27
	Peace Corp/Far would go	37
	Peace Corp/Toughest Job	15
	State Lottery	30
	C.A.R.E	3
5.	Social Services	
	American Red Cross	7
	Local United Way	44
	C.A.R.E.	1
	Be A Mentor	4
6.	Animals	
	True Love/Pet Adoption	12
7.	Senior Citizens	
	Senior Fitness	1

Health Information Services

Organ Donation	3
Skin Cancer	27
Kid Fitness	5
Breast Cancer/Stamp	1
Alanon	32
Diabetes	38
A1-Ateen	7
Stroke Prevention	8
Heart Attack/Waiting To Happen	33
AIDS/Elton John	2
AIDS/Belief	2
Immunizations/Marcy	8
Pre-Natal Care	13

9 Environment

Earth Share	33
Exploration Year/Oceans	38
Beach Clean-Up	4

8. Traffic Control 0

9. Children/Education

Child Abuse/Everybody's Business	35
Make A Wish Found.	13
Child Support/Girl	6
Child Support/Boy	1
Boys & Girls Club	44
Girl Scouts	12
Fatherhood	2
4-H/Are You Into It?	6
Help Wanted/Kids	6
Careers/Bill Cosby	1
Shriner's Hospital	11
Kids/YMCA	1

10. Crime

Drunk Driving/Jessica	33
Life After Drugs	30
Meth/Rarely Sleep	2

Teen Violence	7
DUI	3
Drug Free USA	36
Kids Listen/Drug Prevention	32

11. Safety

Helmet Safety/Dusty Baker	10
Seat Belts	6
Fire Safety/Spring Clean-Up	13

12. Consumer Information

Charter Cable	29
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13. Community Events

Hotline Bowl-A-Thon	10
Sheriff's Family Day	4
Harbor Festival	16
Chocolate Festival/Friends of Library	17
Pops By The Sea	15
Central Coast Wine Festival	9
Hospice/Afternoon at the Ranch	30
Toast For Tails/No. County Humane	46

Community Calendar

There were a total of 230 Community & Arts Calendars that aired in the month of September 1999. Topics include: events, meetings, senior activities, art shows, performances & events for children.

Station Tours

There were a total of six station tours in the September 1999:

September 8	Arroyo Grande Seniors	10 Seniors
September 15	The Village Retirement Home	20 Seniors
September 23	Five Cities Women's Group	20 Seniors
September 24	Transitions	20 Adults
September 24	Encore	16 Adults
September 28	Grace Bible Church	20 Seniors

Speaking Engagements

There were three speaking engagements in September 1999

September 18	Carl Edge	Paso Robles Taste of DOWtown
September 18	Jill Rickett	Girl Scouts Annual Brunch
September 27	Tony Cipolla	RAMS/Pismo Beach

CRIME

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NEWS FEATURE July 1, 1999 6 pm :40
Last week around this time was the first utterance from the family about Aundria Crawford's death from her family...they were just beginning their grieving process. Today, they had a memorial service for her in her home town of Fresno.

NEWS FEATURE July 4, 1999 5,6 pm 1:15
Drugs and guns...today the Santa Barbara County Sheriffs Department arrested 3 men in Lompoc. They are being held on narcotics and firearms charges. The men have all been booked into the county jail.

NEWS FEATURE July 5, 1999 5,6,11 pm 6:15
Rex Allan Krebs has officially been charged with murder. The two victims, Aundria Crawford and Rachel Newhouse, were found on Krebs' property almost two weeks ago.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 11 pm :20
Santa Barbara police have broken up an international cocaine ring. Police arrested Michael Sierra after he bought over 15 pounds of cocaine from an undercover cop, at east beach in Santa Barbara.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5 pm :25
A female was walking her dog on More Mesa beach when a man attempted to assault her. He is described as 5 foot 10 inches, close to 200 pounds with dark hair...He was wearing only a black t-shirt on his head and black high top tennis shoes.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5,6,11 pm 6:10
Rex Krebs faced a judge today, on the charges of murdering two college coeds. He is being charged with three counts of rape, one count of sodomy, and one count of residential burglary. With all of these charges there are only two options for sentencing...death penalty or life in prison without chance for parole.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:10
In a remote area of Nipomo police seized nearly 300 marijuana plants...with a street value of \$150 thousand. After receiving a number of calls, police searched the trailers and found the hundreds of plants in various stages of growth.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:40
The Kristen Smart investigation may have a break. A cadaver dog picked up a scent today. It has now sent crews digging under the Student Academic Service building at Cal Poly.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 5,6,11 pm 2:45
Lompoc police are launching a big effort to tell people that a violent sex offender has moved into their neighborhood.

NEWS FEATURE July 8, 1999 6,11 pm 1:25
For the second day in a row the Cal Poly campus has been the site of a search. Kristen Smart has been missing for over three years and finally a break in the case.

NEWS FEATURE July 10, 1999 5,6,11 pm 2:25
Justice is served but not in a local courtroom. The man charged with murdering a Hope Ranch woman was sentenced in his home country of Mexico to life in prison without parole.

NEWS FEATURE July 11, 1999 6:30 am :40
A Santa Maria man is behind bars tonight after a 12 hour standoff with the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's SWAT team. Investigators say he broke into his girlfriends home this morning and held her with a gun.

NEWS FEATURE July 21, 1999 5,11pm 1:10
The San Luis Obispo County District Attorney's office may charge Bernard Micu with felony manslaughter. Micu was driving a bus last month and is accused of hitting and killing an 89 year old woman. Micu has worked for Laidlaw transit for 7 years and is now on administrative leave.

NEWS FEATURE July 23, 1999 11 pm :20
A teenager convicted of beating a homeless man has received a stiff sentence. The 17 year old from San Luis Obispo nearly beat Richard Bermine to death. He could be held at the California Youth Authority in Paso Robles until age 25.

NEWS FEATURE July 23, 1999 11 pm :25
Vandals struck at Morro Bay High School. Fire crews responded to a fire in the schools bus barn where four buses and a service vehicle were damaged. Police say the vandals broke out windows in the buses and they found broken windows inside the school and in other vehicles as well.

NEWS FEATURE July 23, 1999 11 pm :20
Some major damage was done at San Marcos High School earlier this month as reported today by the Santa Barbara Sheriff's Dept. Thousands of dollars worth of damage including anti-semetic graffiti was found. One 18 year old has been arrested and deputies are in the process of arresting 5 other suspects.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:35
Today arson investigators from San Luis Obispo county searched for evidence at Morro Bay High School. It's being called the worst school arson fire on the Central Coast and possibly the state. Vandals scaled a fence to set fire to a bus garage. Four buses were blackened in the blaze. There was also extensive damage to the school as well. Investigators say they have a good idea who started the fire, but they are looking for additional clues. Total losses could top a million dollars.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6,11 3:20
Prosecutors and defense attorneys in the Rex Krebs case met for a pre-preliminary hearing to determine when the case should move forward. Public defenders Patricia Ashbaugh and James McGuire asked that the preliminary hearing be moved from July to September. They're waiting for physical evidence from FBI and Justice Department crime labs.

ECONOMY

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GROWTH CONTROL/PLANNING

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NEWS FEATURE July 4, 1999 6 pm 1:15
The Lompoc prison could have a neighbor soon...the federal government is looking at property near the low security prison and have plans for a maximum security prison to go there. People in Lompoc are not too happy about the plans.

NEWS FEATURE July 4, 1999 6,11 pm 1:25
The San Luis Obispo city council brought plans tonight for a new parking structure and other ideas for the city to move forward with in their own time.

NEWS FEATURE July 5, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:15
The Avila Yacht Club is temporarily moving to 660 Wild Cherry Canyon Road off Avila Beach Drive. This is because of the Unocal clean up in Avila Beach.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:05
A change of command at Vandenberg Air Force Base today...The 14th Air Force Commander Major-General Gerald Perryman Junior turned over his command to Major-General Robert Hinson. Perryman has been in charge since March of 1997.

NEWS FEATURE July 18, 1999 11pm :20
Victory for Fess Parker. Santa Barbara city attorney had challenged Parker's hotel ballot initiative arguing the petition was misleading and confusing. The judge disagreed and ruled in favor of Parker. Santa Barbara voters will decide in November if he can build his luxury hotel on the waterfront.

NEWS FEATURE July 19, 1999 6, 11pm 1:00
The new Grover Beach fire station opened its' doors today. The city of Grover Beach paid more than \$550,000 for the facility, with half the cost covered by an earthquake safety grant.

NEWS FEATURE July 21, 1999 11 pm 1:25
A local businessman wants to build a go-cart track next to his miniature golf park in Morro Bay. Rodney Miles went before the Morro Bay planning commission in hopes of developing a 90 by 190 foot lighted outdoor track for racing go-carts. Commissioners and some members of the public are worried about the noise. Commissioners will meet on July 6 and open the podium to public comment.

NEWS FEATURE July 22, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:10
A merger involving Alberton's and the parent company of Lucky's supermarkets will mean several Lucky's on the Central Coast will change names. They will become Ralphs.

NEWS FEATURE July 22, 1999 5,6,11 pm 5:15
Two new newspapers will show up in the North county. The Tribune's weekly paper will focus on community features and the Paso Robles Gazette will publish its first edition July 1. Both new papers will be free and expect a circulation of about 20,000.

NEWS FEATURE July 23, 1999 11 pm :35
The city of Atascadero wants to do something about their identity crisis. A redevelopment plan could help breathe life into it's Main St. The Redevelopment agency

presented it's plans to the Atascadero City council last night.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6, 11 pm 1:20

The San Luis Obispo planning commission voted to send a revised plan for the mall to the City Council for approval. The latest plan involves removing all the retail space between Gottschalks and the Embassy Suites hotel. Studies show shoppers are no longer drawn to the covered shopping malls of the 60's and 70's. The plan will be taken up the Architectural review commission in July.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:30

The Santa Margarita Ranch is one of the last surviving Spanish land grant properties in the state of California. It's currently owned by developer Rob Rossi who plans to build homes and a vineyard on the property. About 30 residents are protesting putting a vineyard next to their tiny town.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:00

Developer Bill Levy wants to transform 225,000 sq ft of lower State St. Complete with a shopping plaza and time share condo's overlooking the ocean. The planning commission is expected to decide whether or not to approve the project tonight.

ENVIRONMENT

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NEWS FEATURE July 10, 1999 11 pm :40
Saturday and Sunday mark the two free fishing days of the year. That means this weekend you will not need a license to drop in the water.

NEWS FEATURE July 19, 1999 6,11pm 1:30
A controversial proposition could create some local land use changes. It's called the SOAR initiative. SOAR stands for Save Open Space and Agricultural Resources. If passed by voters it would require any zoning changes in San Luis Obispo be approved at the ballot box. A informational meeting was held in Templeton to determine public support.

NEWS FEATURE July 18, 1999 11pm :10
It's dredging time in Morro Bay again. Morro Bay is one of the most dangerous harbors, but over time it also get choked with sand and silt and requires a periodic dredging.

NEWS FEATURE July 22, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:10
A compromise was rejected in Santa Barbara over saving Oak trees. If any Oak protection measure is to pass it will be up to the Board of Supervisors to develop a plan. The battle over the oaks began nearly 2 years ago when Kendall Jackson winery removed 900 oaks to make way for its vineyard. Environmentalists demanded protection for the oaks.

NEWS FEATURE July 24, 1999 5,6,11 pm 4:50
Next week a courtyard at the Battles Elementary school in Santa Maria will be excavated. Old photos revealed an oil sump from the 1940's buried 11 feet beneath the concrete. Scientists say the oil poses no health risks, but they're going ahead with the dig in hopes of putting an end to the controversy. The excavation should take about a week.

SOCIAL CONCERNS

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NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:05
A new billboard has gone up along side of 101. It has a big marijuana leaf on it and it says..."A friend with weed, is a friend in need." It also has a web site on there...we checked it out and it is a christian web site.

NEWS FEATURE July 6, 1999 5 pm :45
Central Coast Police officers came together today to remember all of the fallen officers from this past year. 17 officers lost their life in the line of duty, two of them right here on the central coast.

EDUCATION

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July 1999

NEWS FEATURE July 1, 1999 6,11 pm 2:05
The Santa Maria - Bonita School district has a little over a month before voters decide on the 33 million dollar school bond. The bond will be used for school improvements and better equipment such as computers.

NEWS FEATURE July 4, 1999 6 pm :45
The Cal Poly campus was the site for the latest struggle...it is between professors and the university administration.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 11 pm :35
The SLO Coastal recall is well on its way. They want to recall two of the board members they feel do not represent the community well. Most of the people involved in the recall effort have children that go to the Los Osos middle school where the principal was dismissed with no cause last year.

NEWS FEATURE July 21, 1999 11 pm :15
Santa Maria-Bonita has named David M. Francis the new superintendent. He's worked in the Visalia Unified School district for the past 28 years.

NEWS FEATURE July 21, 1999 5 pm 2:20
A vote by the Atascadero school board could mean the end of 12 jobs, including 7 teaching positions. The popular DARE program could also be cut. It's not whether DARE is "worthy" of the dollars, it's just that there are no dollars to spend. The budget meeting will be held tomorrow night at 5PM.

NEWS FEATURE July 23, 1999 11 pm 6:40
It was standing room only for the Atascadero School board hearing. To save money the school board may drop the DARE program to save money, but Atascadero Police Chief came up with a surprise solution. The police dept. Will pay for the DARE program if the school will pay for the resource officer. Together they can work for grant funding. Some jobs will be cut though. The reason for the million dollars shortfall is student enrollment is declining. Dr. Dodds attributes the drop to parents unhappy with the turmoil in the district.

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HEALTH CONCERNS

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GOVERNMENT

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NEWS FEATURE July 10, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:45
Shauncy Bowen is going to jail for the rest of his life. That was the decision reached today by the jury for his part in the Vandenberg Federal Credit Union robbery that resulted in a murder.

NEWS FEATURE July 11, 1999 6:30 am 1:00
San Luis Obispo County residents can rest a little easier now that there has been an increase in the budget that allows the firefighting team to increase their staff by more than a dozen. Recent state and federal legislation requires two firefighters on all staffed county fire engines. The board unanimously voted to increase the staff.

NEWS FEATURE July 12, 1999 6:30a, 11 pm 1:00
The last defendant in the 1997 murder at a Lompoc credit union heads to court.

NEWS FEATURE July 21, 1999 5,11pm 1:40
Lois Capps will be delivering a bill in Congress to do away with the \$5.00 daily fee now being charged to visit our National Forests. She suggests using funds from timber sales to pay for the maintenance of the park system.

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IMMIGRATION

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NATURAL DISASTERS / SAFETY

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NEWS FEATURE July 4, 1999 5,6,11 pm 2:50
A single car accident claims the life of a central coast teen. It happened on highway one just south of Cambria Drive. The CHP reports the driver was speeding and passing on a double yellow line. The other passengers in the car were admitted to area hospitals and then released with only minor injuries.

NEWS FEATURE July 5, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:45
A 17 year old student was killed in Cambria after she lost control of her car. The other students in the car were treated at a local hospital and released.

NEWS FEATURE July 5, 1999 5,6 pm 1:05
About a dozen people had to be washed down after firefighters responded to a structure fire on 15th and Ocean. Not knowing what the substance was they called for the cleaning crew to wash them off. Just to be safe.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 5,6,11 pm :55
A fire started at Alex's BBQ this morning. A fire sparked in the vent system in the kitchen..There's minor smoke damage in the rest of the building. Ron Ritter, owner, hopes to have the damage cleaned up and be open for Mother's Day.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:05
Arne Nyback has died at age 88. He was a well known painter.

NEWS FEATURE July 7, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:35
Kimberly Kinney was the girl who was killed in the car accident in Cambria. He family and friends mourn the loss of such a young girl.

NEWS FEATURE July 8, 1999 6:30a 1:00
There was a fire at the RALCO recycling center in Nipomo yesterday. Fire officials say it started at one am in a pile of old phone books and measured about 25,000 square feet. No word yet on what started the fire.

NEWS FEATURE July 10, 1999 11 pm :30
Highway 101 was shut down in the Pismo Beach area late this morning after a flatbed trailer broke an axle. The disabled trailer was hauling a modular home and the accident shut down one lane of the southbound 101.

CRIME

FCC Reports
August 1999

NEWS FEATURE August 2, 1999 5,6 11 pm 2:10
Investigators say they have a mystery on their hands. After the discovery of an apparent murder in Atascadero this morning. The body found was an adult female, between 5'6" and 5'10" with dark hair. Nothing further has been talked about.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:35
The man charged with killing a Paso Robles teenager makes his first court appearance today. He is 18 year old Matthew Nareau. He is accused of stabbing 16 year old Bo Aleckson to death.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999 5,6 pm 1:40
Th body that was found yesterday in rural Atascadero has now been identified. She was 36 year old Angelina aria Roe of San Luis Obispo. She was reported missing on June 2nd and was last seen May 10th.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:15
The mother of two Cayucos men who were murdered is speaking out tonight in hopes that someone will come forward with information.

NEWS FEATURE August 8, 1999 11 pm 1:00
Firefighters responded to Grover Heights Elementary at 7:30 this evening to find the school burning. Three modular buildings were all that burned... and some speculate the fire could have started in a nearby dumpster.

NEWS FEATURE August 8, 1999 11 pm :45
Pismo Beach police arrested three men on assault and battery charges and a possible hate crime. It happened last night when the three men jumped out of their car and attacked a young black man and his friend, while shouting racial slurs and white power slogans.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999 5,6 pm :45
Lompoc police are still searching for a man who robbed a gas station over the weekend. The robbery was caught on tape.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999 5,6 pm 1:10
Two young boys on the central coast have been arrested for arson and vandalism. Police say the two boys started the fire at the Grover Heights Elementary school Sunday night.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999 5,5 pm 1:50
A new hate-crime data base is starting up in Santa Barbara. It hopes to let people know that crimes such as these happen in places like the Central Coast.

NEWS FEATURE August 11, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:50
A major pot bust in the Los Padres National Forest. Authorities seize over 5000 plants worth a street value of about \$15,000.

NEWS FEATURE August 11, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:15
Three men rob a jewelry store in Santa Barbara, but are caught on tape. Police were not far behind them and they were captured moments later in a residential area.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999 6,11 pm 1:15

An update on the robbery of the Santa Barbara Jewelry store...Five suspects are in custody, all from Los Angeles. Two of those are admitted gang members.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:15

It is the biggest pot bust in Santa Barbara County in the past 10 years. And it's a lot bigger than first predicted. Police say they have now confiscated 10,000 plants worth an estimated street value of \$30,000,000. Police are still looking for the two growers who fled the area as they arrived.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

5,6,11 pm

4:00

33 year old Rex Alan Krebs is charged with murder, kidnaping, rape, sodomy and burglary in the deaths of Cal Poly student Rachel Newhouse and Cuesta College student Aundria Crawford. The next phase of the trial is set to begin soon.

NEWS FEATURE August 13, 1999

5,6 pm

1:45

They robbed a jewelry store and now they are in court on those charges.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

6,11 pm

1:10

A 20 year old UCSB student reported she was raped yesterday morning in her apartment in Isla Vista. The victim says the man threatened her with a knife. The suspect is a black male in his mid 20's, 5'10", wearing a blue pullover sweatshirt, dark pants and a heavy yellow chain around his neck.

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NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:20

The Lucky's store on Spring Street will close this Monday. The new owners, Ralph's, is doing a remodel. It opens back up on August 12th.

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NEWS FEATURE August 2, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:00

Another building has been demolished in Avila Beach. We are now in Cell 3, the final phase of the project. Today's building to come down was an apartment building on the corner of First and San Miguel. The completion date is still on schedule for June 2000.

NEWS FEATURE August 2, 1999

5,6 pm

1:15

A sturdy old tree in San Luis Obispo must be sacrificed to make way for a new bridge. The city is tearing down the Santa Rosa Street bridge and is building a new one. To get the project going, a large tree, thought to be at least 85 years old, has to be brought down.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

11 pm

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About two weeks ago the city of San Luis Obispo approved over \$750,000 to study the Salinas Reservoir expansion project. The plan would put a new gate on the dam, allowing the level of the lake to rise by 19 feet.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

5,11 pm

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The wines of the Central Coast are becoming well known, but for the shipping industry it is becoming a pain. New regulations on wine shipping are making the ability of some wineries in this area very poor.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

11 pm

1:10

Central Coast travellers will soon have a new option to flying. Pacific Skyway will soon be open with direct flights to Sacramento, San Jose and Las Vegas. This airline will be out of both Santa Maria and San Luis Obispo airports.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6,11 pm

2:50

The verdict is in, the jury in Santa Barbara has found Greg Mitchell guilty of killing a Lompoc woman.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:50

The Custom House was demolished today, in accordance with the Unocal project.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm

1:40

Will you start paying more for entrance into Montana De Oro State Park? That was the topic of a meeting today between Board of Supervisors and the State Parks Division.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm

1:05

A grant will allow all Cal Poly students to ride the bus free for one more year. The grant was passed today and funding will be only guaranteed for the next year.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm

1:00

San Luis Obispo's newest field got the go ahead today. Escrow has closed on the proposed field that will be located on Broad Street. It will consist of four athletic fields and will be 23 acres in size. Construction should start soon.

NEWS FEATURE August 11, 1999

11 pm

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The first of six Ralph's grocery stores has arrived on the central coast. The store used to be Lucky's, until Ralphs bought the store from them.

NEWS FEATURE August 13, 1999

6 pm

:25

People in Atascadero aren't getting much sleep these days, not since the night construction began on the new Albertson's store. The new building is set to be finished early next month.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

5,6,11 pm

3:15

An important vote is happening in San Luis Obispo...it is to decide whether or not to expand the Marsh Street garage.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

6,11 pm

1:45

The Santa Barbara city council voted yes to a 50-million dollar water-front development project. A mix of upscale shopping and vacation homes is approved.

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NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6,11 pm

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The Morro Bay area got a good cleaning thanks to the Cadre of Corps Environmental Educational Program. Other Volunteers from the YMCA also participated.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6 pm

1:15

Pollution from an abandoned Santa Maria gas facility could be threatening the area's ground water. Local agencies are meeting to decide what to do.

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EDUCATION

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NEWS FEATURE August 11, 1999

6 pm

1:00

Six million dollars of state grants are going to 30 high tech companies and the central coast will benefit. The grants are for education of the companies in the market.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

5 pm

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It is already back to school for Cuesta College students. There will be 25 new full time teachers added to this years faculty.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:15

The school board in Templeton talks about hiring a trained dog to sniff out drugs and weapons at schools in their area. They say the time is now, before this gets out of hand.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

11 pm

1:10

Summer Camp that offers welding and building sets and singing your heart out.

NEWS FEATURE August 13, 1999

6 pm

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The teachers at Atascadero schools got the raise they were lobbying for...finally.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

5 pm

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Cutting edge technology may soon be at the fingertips of North County students. Computers become obsolete in only a few months but now there is a foundation to help schools replace the outdated computers. The North County Educational Technology Foundation was created to connect classroom keyboards to the world.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

11 pm

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Tonight it looks like a recall effort is assured in the San Luis Coastal Unified School District. For months, a recall committee composed of angry parents has been going door-to-door to gather signatures in attempt to remove three trustees. They needed 95,00 names...by today they had over 10,500 and there are still three days to go.

HEALTH CONCERNS

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NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

6 pm

1:45

Mike De Plonce has cancer and so that he could get all of the necessary treatments and care, the firefighters in Santa Barbara gave up their sick time and / or vacation so he would still be able to pay his bills...his vacation and sick time had already been used for other doctors appointments.

NEWS FEATURE August 4, 1999

5,6 pm

1:40

The Lompoc Police Department could soon be adding medical assistance to their job descriptions.

NEWS FEATURE August 6, 1999

5,6 pm

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A strange smell had the SLO Hasmat team scrambling this morning.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

5,6,11 pm

4:50

A class action lawsuit about health concerns surrounding the mass cleanup at Avila has people and Unocal on the look out. It seems to cover anyone that has lived or worked near the cleanup effort.

GOVERNMENT

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NEWS FEATURE August 2, 1999

5,6,11 pm

3:05

The trial for Greg Mitchell is coming to an end. He is the fourth and final defendant in the Vandenberg Federal Credit Union robbery that resulted in the death of Christina Orciuch.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

5,6,11 pm

2:35

Nine women and three men will begin their deliberation in the Greg Mitchell case. He is one of the three men accused in the Vandenberg Federal Credit Union robbery which resulted in one woman being killed.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

5,6,11 pm

1:05

Today was the deadline for submitting names to fill a vacant position on the Coastal Commission. There have been three people nominated...From SLO County Shirley Bianchi and Janice Peters and from SB County Greg Hart.

NEWS FEATURE August 4, 1999

6 pm

1:15

18 year old Matthew Nareau made his first appearance in court after he killed 16 year old Bo Alleckson in Paso Robles.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm

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After the accident at the Santa Barbara Rodeo, the horse, the colonel died. Now the fair board is thinking about canceling next years fiesta rodeo.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

5,6,11 pm

4:10

The man convicted of murdering Lompoc Christine Orciuch was back in court today, it is the start of the penalty phase in the trial of Greg Mitchell.

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NATURAL DISASTERS / SAFETY

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NEWS FEATURE August 2, 1999

11 pm

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She told the highway patrolman her name was Monica, but it didn't dawn on him exactly who she was...Lewinsky rolled her blue Explorer on Sunday near Ventura. She told highway patrol she was reaching for something in her purse, and when she looked up, she was heading for another vehicle. She swerved and rolled and in the process got a few bruises.

NEWS FEATURE August 3, 1999

6 pm

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The two hikers stranded near Ragged Point are today doing just fine. They were stranded 300 feet below a cliff. The CHP search and rescue team helped with the recovery of the two people.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6,11 pm

2:10

Divers are searching for a missing swimmer at Lake Nacimiento. Crews stopped the search at midnight last night and picked up at seven this morning...the same is planned for tonight.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

5,6 pm

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El Nino destroyed their house and now the city of Solvang is paying the bill to have it fixed. A culvert near the home of Randall and Susan Bye was backed up with water in last year's storms. The water destroyed their home and the couple sued the city of Solvang. The case has now settled and the city will pay \$470 dollars for the damages done.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

6 pm

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The dolphin that was rescued from Pismo Beach is doing fine...His name is Elliot and he is now at home at the Sausalito Mammal Center.

NEWS FEATURE August 5, 1999

11 pm

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A 12 year old boy is missing near the Mojave Desert. He is from Bakersfield and was there riding dirt bikes.

NEWS FEATURE August 6, 1999

11 pm

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The body of the missing swimmer at Lake Nacimiento has been recovered. The victim was 18 year old Maren Hale of Ojai.

NEWS FEATURE August 6, 1999

5,6, 11 pm

2:25

The man accused in the murder of a Paso Robles boy was back in court today. Matthew Nareau pleaded not guilty this morning to allegations he murdered 16 year old Bo Alleckson.

NEWS FEATURE August 7, 1999

6,11 pm

1:15

Two days after searching the waters at Lake Nacimiento, the divers recovered the body of 18 year old Maren Hale of Ojai.

NEWS FEATURE August 7, 1999

6, 11 pm

1:25

A fatal big rig accident tied up the traffic on 101 this afternoon. The crash only involved one truck, but blocked up both southbound lanes of for hours.

NEWS FEATURE August 9, 1999

6,11 pm

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Grover Heights Elementary will reopen its doors without a library. It was damaged in a fire last night. Wet books will have to be replaced and smoke damaged ones will have to be cleaned.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm :45

Local police are asking for the public's help in finding a missing person. She is a 16 year old Shandon girl.

NEWS FEATURE August 10, 1999

5,6 pm 1:05

Another missing person to report, this time it is a farm worker last seen taking a break by a river off Estrella Rd in Paso Robles. He has been missing since July 12th.

NEWS FEATURE August 12, 1999

6 pm 1:15

The alarming death toll on Highway 46 has politicians calling for changes.

NEWS FEATURE August 17, 1999

5,6,11 pm 2:05

It is a slow trip over the grade today. A 5 acre grass fire is burning along the east side of the grade. The blaze started at about 3:30 pm this afternoon.

NEWS FEATURE August 18, 1999

5,11 pm :50

A controlled burn is out of control tonight in Santa barbara County. The department of Forestry planned a 1200 acre brush burn off, 5 miles north of Los Olivos. But the blaze has jumped the line and has grown to about 20 acres.

CRIME

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NEWS FEATURE September 2, 1999 5,6,11 pm 1:35
New details in the mysterious death of Lynn Allen. She was found dead last Thursday inside her car in Long Beach. In the week since her death police have determined that Allen was in an accident on a 405 off-ramp. The radiator of her Jeep Cherokee badly damaged. Authorities believe she pulled off the freeway and managed to get to a residential neighborhood where she used a pay phone to call her husband. Allen gave her husband directions, but he never found her. She was found the next morning by a passer-by.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5 pm :40
A local senior group is urging people to really look at their mail for a while, they believe there is a scam going around that is targeting older people. It says they will give you a life insurance policy but first you must send in a money order for a lot of money...then you never hear from them again.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5,6 pm 1:50
Another major pot bust in the Los Padres National Forest. Marijuana is a growing problem in the forest, but law enforcement officers are trying their hardest to crack down on the patrolling of that area with helicopters and if anything is spotted that they respond immediately with someone on the ground.

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NEWS FEATURE September 2, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:20
The Community Airline that was supposed to start up in San Luis Obispo has been grounded before it ever really started. The FAA has dismissed their application to bring the airline to San Luis Obispo. Another airline is currently looking into resuming that vacancy.

NEWS FEATURE September 2, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:25
As gas prices soar, another way to get around is getting easier to come by the first public "plug in" station for electric cars was unveiled in San Luis Obispo. Hopefully in the near future there will be more of these brought into different towns.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5,6 pm :40
The longest bridge in San Luis Obispo County is off limits. The North River bridge in San Miguel is in danger of falling down. A temporary blockade has not stopped traffic on this road. Now a permanent blockade is being installed. One at either end. The project will take about two years to complete. That will consist of tearing down the old one and rebuilding a new one in its place.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5 pm 1:10
David Weyrich owns the Paso Robles Gazette and just yesterday purchased San Luis Obispo Magazine. Today he announced two new gazettes will be coming out soon and will be distributed through the mail.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5,6,11 pm 3:05
Highway 46 has been given the name as the most dangerous road on the Central Coast. Now Cal Trans and the federal government are making the road a little less dangerous. They will start by resurfacing parts of the road, then a median will be added to prevent unsafe passing.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5 pm :15
The IFB middle weight champion was back in court in Santa Barbara today. The arraignment for boxer Fernando Vargas was again delayed. Vargas is accused of beating a Summerland man after an altercation in the home of a Santa Barbara stripper.

NEWS FEATURE September 8, 1999 5 pm :35
He's accused of trying to have his former son-in-law murdered. Today, 73 year old Walter Munro of Nipomo was back in a courtroom in San Luis Obispo. Prosecutors say he tried to hire someone to kill Richard Erickson, his former son-in-law and Lake County Police Officer. Both sides say they're ready to proceed with a preliminary hearing on Friday. Munro remains in custody in a San Luis Obispo County jail.

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The memory of Lynn Allen will live on thanks to a dedication. The San Miguel Fire Department is going to dedicate their new station in her name. It should n\be completed by January 2000.